

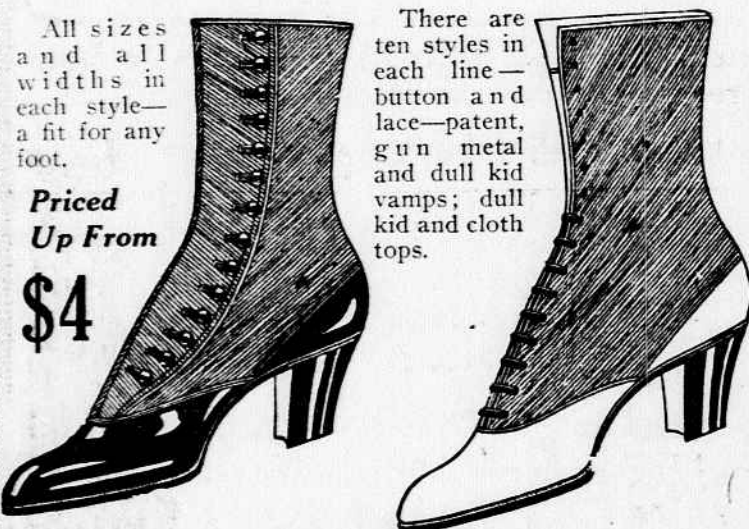
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ART EXHIBIT AT FAIR IS TO BE KEPT OPEN

Arranged for Until May 1, and May
Then Be Made Per-
manent.

American Artists Asked to Contrib-
ute Substitutes for Sold
Works.

Paul Bartlett, the sculptor, whose
work is soon to be placed in position
in the pediment of the House wing of
the Capitol, has returned recently to
Washington from New York, where he
has been supervising the marble cut-
ting of the figures of the frieze and
also the six large statues that are to
be placed on the 5th avenue front of
the public library in that city. Mr.
Bartlett states that the work for the
Capitol is progressing satisfactorily,
and that he expects the marbles to be
in readiness for emplacement early
next spring.

Mr. Bartlett was chairman of the
committee on art awards at the San
Francisco exposition, and spent some
time in that city last spring in con-
nection with that work. He is en-
thusiastic over the success of the art
department of the exposition, which
he says, was one of the most striking
features of that enterprise. He has
just received from John E. D. Trask,
chief of the art department of the
exposition, the following telegram an-
nouncing that the fine arts palace is
to remain open until the 1st of May,
and possibly, if suitable arrangements
can be made, permanently:

Telegram from Mr. Trask.

"In response to a petition from thou-
sands of San Franciscans, endorsed by
leading clubs in and around San Fran-
cisco, the directors of the Panama Pa-
cific international exposition have de-
cided to keep the fine arts palace open
until May 1, retaining on exhibition
the works of the painters and sculptors
not absolutely imperative to return and
supplementing the exhibition with
other works to be secured. Our sales
of modern art from this exhibition now
amount to over \$200,000, of which 75
per cent is American. The sold works
are contracted to deliver in Decem-
ber, but as this present movement
means, in my opinion, the establish-
ment of a large permanent art gallery
in San Francisco and a large public
subscription to purchase therefor
works from the fine arts palace, be-
sides many more private sales, I an-
ticipate American artists will be will-
ing to co-operate with the department
of fine arts in the establishment of a
real art center on the Pacific coast."
"I leave here on or about December
1 for the east to secure replacements
and additions to the exhibition and
may be addressed here telegraphically
until December 1. By December 1 I
shall be at the Hotel Vanderbilt, New
York city, where mail will reach me.
Will you please circulate this news as
widely as possible among American ar-
tists and to the newspaper press, and
will you yourself please co-operate
with me by urging all American artists
to permit their unsold works now here
to remain to replace sold works with
other representative examples, and will
you carefully consider what important
additional contemporary works can be
secured from those now not represent-
ed here? Shipments must leave New
York by December 15."

Exhibit Well Managed.

Mr. Bartlett said to a Star reporter
yesterday that the art department of
the exhibition was exceptionally well
managed, and that in consequence it
was visited by an immense number of

people and gave the greatest satisfac-
tion to the throngs attracted to it. A
corps of well trained guides has been
organized by Mr. Trask, who has had a
long experience in the direction of art
museums and through their effort the
people were not only effectively shown
the art wonders of the collection, but
were made to appreciate them.

"But the best feature of the art ex-
hibit at the fair," said Mr. Bartlett,
"was the fact that many paintings
and sculptures were sold. This was due
largely to the services of the guides.
The people of the western part of the
country were familiar with agriculture
and the scenery, and while they were
in the paintings and other reproductions
which dealt with such matters they
found the real novelty of the great
art in the paintings and sculptures, and
they showed their delight not only
by their attendance but by their pur-
chase of immense numbers of repro-
duced post cards and other reproductions
of the works of art. I feel that
the art exhibit at San Francisco has
been of incalculable educational advan-
tage to the people of the west, and that
it will prove a great intellectual stimu-
lus in the country. I am delighted to
know that so large a number of works
have been sold, especially such a large
number of American works, and I feel
that the people of the west will not
only be an encouragement directly to
the artists, but it will continue to
stimulate the art of the country through
the invitation that Mr. Trask has
just announced for American ar-
tists to send their works to the ex-
position, which has been already dis-
posed of which must be delivered in December."

HALF MILLION MEN DEMAND EIGHT-HOUR DAY

Railway Workers Engaged in the
Moving of Trains Press for
Favorable Action.

Half a million railroad employees, em-
bracing railroad labor engaged in the
movement of trains, have joined in a
demand for an eight-hour day, accord-
ing to an announcement from repre-
sentatives of railroad employees' asso-
ciations. The announcement was pre-
sented last year to the western en-
gineers and firemen arbitration board
will, it is announced, be available to
railroad workers in pressing for favor-
able action by the roads upon their
demand.

W. J. Lauck, representative of the
Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers
and Firemen, Southern Building, in
making the announcement, stated that
some of the items which will be used
in the fight for a change in time are:
That the tabulations for approximately
20,000 engineers and firemen employed
all classes of freight service showed
that 88 per cent, or 87 out of each
1,000, had an average working day of
ten hours or longer; 35 per cent, or
more than one-third, worked eleven
hours or longer, each day; 16 per cent,
thirteen hours or over; 7 per cent,
fourteen hours; and 2 per cent aver-
aged fifteen hours or longer each day.
The announcement also says that
only 12 per cent, or 121 out of each
1,000 employees, averaged less than ten
hours a day, and that in through
freight service 71 per cent, or 709 out
of each 1,000 employed, did the
typical month selected worked ten
hours or longer each day.

Men's Baraca Class Entertains.

The men's Baraca class of the Met-
ropolitan Baptist Church held its third
annual concert in the Sunday school
house of the church, corner of 6th and
A streets northeast, last night. Those
who took part in the program were
Mrs. Deborah H. Lawson and Miss Har-
riet Murphy, sopranos; Miss Sallie
Falls, alto; Miss Marie Menzel,
violinist; J. Walter Humphrey,
bass; Thomas A. Donaldson, baritone;
Frank C. Crenshaw, ventriloquist, and
George H. O'Connor, who sang some of
his comic song hits.

Mrs. Sallie Trenter, sixty-three, wid-
ow of George Trenter, died at Cumber-
land, Md.

REPUBLICANS ARRANGE TALKFEST AND FEAST

All of the Presidential Probabilities
Will Speak at Banquet Held
December 13.

The big guns of the republican party
will be opened upon the democrats at
a banquet to be given by the National
Republican League and the League of
Republican State Clubs at the New
Willard Hotel, the night of December
13. The list of those invited to speak
includes all of the men who have been
mentioned prominently for the republi-
can nomination for President. The ban-
quet is to take place the evening prior
to the meeting here of the republican
national committee, and the members
of the committee have been invited
to attend the banquet.

President John Hays Hammond of
the National Republican League will
make the address of welcome, and the
other prominent republicans invited to
speak are Senators Borah, Weeks,
William Alden Smith, Cummins, former
Senators Root, Fairbanks, and Burton
and Gov. Whitman, Mr. Esterbrook of
New York, Representative J. Hampton
Moore and Job E. Hedges.

To Be Preceded by Conference.

In addition to the meeting of the
national republican committee there
will be an important meeting of the
executive committee of the league of
officials and many members of the
National Republican League, who will be
in conference at the New Willard Hotel
beginning Monday morning, December
13. President Hammond will call the
conference to order at 10 a. m. Those
in attendance upon the conference will
come from thirty states, north, east,
south and west, and the attendance at
the banquet will include, in addition to
league members, several hundred
guests, many of whom are from among
Washington's business and professional
men.

Committees on arrangements for the
banquet are:
Speakers—John G. Capers, South
Carolina; George H. Moses, New Hamp-
shire; Oliver A. Phelps, Connecticut;
"Republican"—Ralph W. Lee, District of
Columbia; George Curtis, New York;
Marion Butler, North Carolina;
Banquet—Henry M. Camp, Connecti-
cut; William H. Eatey, New York; Wil-
liam Tyler Page, Maryland.
Decorations—E. C. Graham, Iowa;
Walter P. Scott, West Virginia; George
L. Whitford, New Hampshire.
Press—Edgar C. Snyder, Nebraska;
Charles A. Shinn, West Virginia; Isaac
R. Hitt, Illinois.
Tickets—William J. Dow, Missouri;
Thomas M. Holt, Ohio; George Mc-
Laughlin, California.

FIRST OF CONCERT SERIES.

Fifth Cavalry Orchestra to Entertain
Tonight at Fort Myer.

Tonight at 8 o'clock the 5th Cavalry
Orchestra, Fort Myer, Va., will give
the first of a series of weekly concerts
to be held Wednesday evenings, not
Tuesday evenings, as previously an-
nounced. The concerts will be held in
the administrative building.
The program for tonight's concert,
under the leadership of Conductor W.
J. Cain, is as follows:
"Coronation March" from opera
"Folkinger"; Kretschmer; overture,
"Raymond"; Thomas; (a) "Humor-
esque"; Dvorak; (b) melody, "Un Pou
d'Amour"; Silow; melodies from the
"Sunny South"; Mendelssohn; waltz on
melodies from the musical comedy,
"The Girl Who Smiles"; Briquet; grand
selection from opera, "Faust"; Gounod;
(a) Intermezzo from "Cavalleria Rus-
ticana"; Mascagni; (b) patrol, "I'm on
My Way to Dublin Bay"; Camp; the
cerpts from "Sartre"; Kalam; finale,
"Come Back to Dixie"; Wenrich.

VOLUNTEERS AT WORK ON SUFFRAGE PROGRAM

Busy Morning, Noon and Evening
Getting Ready for Big
Convention.

Woman workers, volunteering their
services during lunch hours, in the
evening and even in the early morn-
ing, are thronging the headquarters
here of the Congressional Union for
Woman Suffrage, all more than busy
with the preliminary work of the na-
tional convention of the union which
begins in this city Monday.

The result so far has been 17,000 let-
ters folded, placed in envelopes, ad-
dressed, stamped and mailed to those
whom the union hopes to interest in
suffrage generally and the coming con-
vention in particular.

Delegates From District.

The District branch of the union, at

the formal opening last night of the
Cameron house, secured by the union
as convention headquarters, chose
twenty delegates to next week's na-
tional gathering. These are: Mrs.
Florence B. Morrill, Mrs. G. Brown Mil-
ler, Mrs. W. T. Burch, Mrs. Randolph
Keith Forrest, Mrs. Robert Baker, Mrs.
George Odell, Mrs. Elizabeth Owen, Miss
Janet Richards, Mrs. Nellie Monroe
Hopkins, Miss Emily Stevens, Mrs. Dor-
othy Earl, Mrs. Ida Waters, Mrs. George
Fielder, Mrs. Morven Thompson, Mrs.
Eliza Lord, Mrs. Mary Keely Claxett,
Miss Sheldon Jackson, Mrs. Charles Ed-
ward Russell and Mrs. Herman Gasch.
Mrs. Eleanor Hill Weed of Connecti-
cut, daughter of Representative Hill,
and Mrs. Florence B. Morrill reported
that they had visited the Maryland
Agricultural College and had obtained
promises from 100 of the students that
they would take part in the Susan B.
Anthony pageant, which will conclude
the convention. They announced that
they would visit the Georgetown Law
School Saturday evening to enlist stu-
dents in the same cause.

To Meet Western Envoys.

Names of the young Washington girls
who will head the procession of 1,000
women who will meet the envoys of
western women voters when they reach
here next Monday were partially an-
nounced yesterday, following a meet-
ing of the heads of the various sections
at the home of Mrs. John Jay White.

1824 R street. They are Misses Eliza-
beth Smith, Frances Morrill, Blanche
Waters, Beatrix Post, Mary Burk, Dor-
othy Terry, Marie Teagle, Glendora
Gibbs, Marie Gordon, Molly Wade and
Lamar Lathan.

Promised House Hearing.

Miss Frances Jolliffe, one of the en-
voys, and other advocates of a consti-
tutional amendment for woman suf-
frage will be given a hearing before
the House Judiciary committee about
Saturday, December 11, according to
present plans of House leaders.
Representative Webb of North Caro-
lina, who again will be chairman of the
judiciary committee, said last night
that the request of the suffragists for
a hearing probably could be granted by
that date.

Pedestrian Calls On Secretary.

Official record of his visit to Washington
was given to Edwin L. McKay yesterday
by Secretary Redfield of the Department
of Commerce. McKay is making a cir-
cuit of the country, working his way
He has three years to make the trip, the time
ending next August. He is now on the
homestretch, his goal being Portland,
Me. He is to receive a sum from a news-
paper there.

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